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Applicant: Prakash
Serial No. 10/613,439

Examiner: R. Raevis
Art Unit: 2856

Filed: July 3, 2003

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Title: **Atomic Force Microscopy Measures of Contact Resistance And Current-Dependent Stiction**

EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being transmitted via facsimile to 703-872-9306 Group Art Unit 2856, Asst. Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313 on February 9, 2005.

By Kathleen M. Smith
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed September 9, 2004.

Request for Extension of Time

Applicant requests a two-month extension of time from December 9, 2004 to the date hereof to submit this Response. The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account 50-2213 (Order No. 061450-0304608) for the requisite two-month small entity extension fee of \$225.00.

Please amend the application as follows:

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